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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, VS

SUBJECT: EVACUATION OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REF: A. TOKYO 4055; B. TOKYO 4058

1. YOU SHOULD CONVEY TO GOJ, IF POSSIBLE AT THE FONMIN LEVEL, OUR DEEP DISAPPOINTMENT OVER PRELIMINARY INDICATIONS THAT GOJ WILL NOT OFFER ASSISTANCE WITH EVACUATION. WHILE WE UNDERSTAND INHIBITIONS ON POSITIVE GOJ ACTION, WE ASK THAT, BEFORE FINAL DECISION MADE, GOJ URGENTLY RECONSIDER WHETHER IT CAN MAKE SOME CONTRIBUTION TO MOVEMENT OF REFUGEES. THIS IS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT IN VIEW OF CONSIDERABLE TRANSPORTATION ASSETS AT GOJ DISPOSAL. CONTRARY TO VIEW EXPRESSED BY DR. DAN, ALL READILY AVAILABLE TRANSPORTATION MUST BE PRESSED INTO SERVICE IF GVN IS TO EVACUATE SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF MASSIVE NUMBERS OF REFUGEES. WHILE WE APPRECIATE GOJ UNDERTAKING TO AID REFUGEES AFTER THEY ARE RELOCATED, THIS BECOMES RATHER ACADEMIC IF MOST OF THE REFUGEES CANNOT GET OUT OF DANANG.

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2. FOR SAIGON: REQUEST YOU URGE MFA TO PRESS JAPANESE ON
THIS IN SAIGON AND TOKYO. KISSINGER

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